SHRI PENUMALLI MADHU (Andhra Pradesh): Sir, I also associate myself with the matter raised by Shri Ravula Chandra Sekar Reddy.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Now, Special Mentions, Shri Datta Meghe...*(Interruptions)*.

Re. Joint Memorandum of Five Chief Ministers of States

SHRI B. J. PANDA (Orissa): Sir, we have been trying to raise this matter...*(Interruptions)*.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: No,...*(Interruptions)*. This has been discussed....*(Interruptions)*. This is not a Zero Hour...*(Interruptions)*.

SHRI B.J. PANDA: Sir,...*(Interruptions)*....refusing to meet five Chief Ministers...*(Interruptions)*.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: It has been discussed. You have given a Calling Attention notice. It will be listed....*(Interruptions)*. You cannot raise whatever you want...*(Interruptions)*. Please....*(Interruptions)*.

SHRI B.J. PANDA: Sir, this is not 'whatever', Sir. This is the right of....*(Interruptions)*. We must get justice...*(Interruptions)*.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Is this the way? *(Interruptions)* What is the issue? *(Interruptions)* आप जाइए। ...(**व्यवधान**)...आप अपनी सीट से बात कीजिए। ...(**व्यवधान**)... आप सीट से बात कीजिए। ...(**व्यवधान**)... आप अपनी सीट पर जाइए। ...(**व्यवधान**)...पाणि जी, आपका कोई नोटिस नहीं है। ...(**व्यवधान**)...पाणि जी, आप ऑफिस से बात कीजिए, आपका कोई नोटिस नहीं है। ...(**व्यवधान**)... पाणि जी, मैं आपको वार्न कर रहा हूं, यह सही नहीं है। ...(**व्यवधान**)... आपका क्या प्वाइंट है?...(**व्यवधान**)... मेरे पास कोई ईशू नहीं है। ...(**व्यवधान**)...

SHRI B.J. PANDA: Mr. Deputy Chairman, Sir, I have been trying to...*(Interruptions)*...Sir, we must get justice. This is the Council of States, Sir, and, if here..*(Interruptions)*... It is not acceptable...*(Interruptions)*...

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: I will not allow.*(Interruptions)* I will not allow. Mr. Pani, you go away. I will have to take action against you.*(Interruptions)* We will have to take action against you. You are breaking the rules.*(Interruptions)* Please go. Please go.*(Interruptions)* You go and ask the Chairman. This is not the place. I warn you.*(Interruptions)* I warn you. This is not correct.*(Interruptions)* You are challenging.*(Interruptions)* The Government should take note of this. You are to pass a Resolution. This is not the way.*(Interruptions)* The whole House should be a witness.*(Interruptions)* I move a Resolution... *(Interruptions)*...Suspend him for the rest of the period of the House.*(Interruptions)* You move a Resolution. This is not the way. What is this? There should be some discipline.*(Interruptions)* You cannot challenge. The House should take note of it. *(Interruptions)*

कार्मिक लोक शिकायत और पेंशन मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री तथा संसदीय कार्य मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री सुरेश पचौरी): रोज़ यह परम्परा प्रारम्भ हो रही है। ...(**व्यवधान**)...

SHRI B.J. PANDA: Sir, we have been demanding..*(Interruptions)*..

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Now, Mr. Panda, you have raised this issue in the House. There is no notice. You have given a Calling Attention notice. For Calling Attention, there is a procedure. The House will follow the procedure.*(Interruptions)* Please do not disturb the House just because any Member can disturb the House...*(Interruptions)*...

SHRI SHAHID SIDDIQUI (Uttar Pradesh): Sir, he never disturbs the House. *(Interruptions)*

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: I am also requesting you.*(Interruptions)*

SHRI B.J. PANDA: Sir, for two weeks, we have been giving notices. *(Interruptions)*

श्री एस.एस. अहलुवालिया (झारखंड): उपसभापति महोदय, इसके बारे में बहुत सारे नोटिस दिए गए लेकिन ...**(व्यवधान)**...

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Mr. Ahluwalia, we cannot discuss what transpires in the Chamber. *(Interruptions)*...

श्री एस.एस. अहलुवालिया (झारखंड): आप सुन तो लीजिए ...(व्यवधान)... अभी तक यह बात खत्म हो जाती। ...(व्यवधान)...पांच राज्यों के चीफ मिनिस्टर्स ने ...(व्यवधान)...

SHRI B.J. PANDA: Sir, five Chief Ministers of States have given a joint Memorandum... *(Interruptions)*...

श्री उपसभापति : मैं मानता हूं, you have given a notice. *(Interruptions)*

श्री एस.एस. अहलुवालिया : चीफ मिनिस्टर्स समय मांग रहे हैं। ...**(व्यवधान)**...उनकी बात नहीं सुनी जा रही। ..**(व्यवधान)**..

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: That is not the question.*(Interruptions)* There is no notice.*(Interruptions)* Mr. Panda, you are a disciplined Member. There is no notice. Your notice is for Calling Attention, and, that will be taken up. Please...*(Interruptions)*...

श्री सत्यव्रत चतुर्वेदी (उत्तराखंड): जो आचरण इन्होंने किया है, पूरे सदन को इसकी निन्दा करनी चाहिए। यह आचरण सही नहीं है।...**(व्यवधान)**...

श्री उपसभापति : बिल्कुल।

श्री राशिद अल्वी (आन्ध्र प्रदेश) : यह कोई तरीका है?

SHRI JASWANT SINGH (Rajasthan): Sir, as I have raised the issue earlier also...*(Interruptions)*

श्री सत्यव्रत चतुर्वेदी : चेयर के साथ तो कम से कम...**(व्यवधान)**...

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: My appeal is that this attitude...*(Interruptions)* I think, we have to say that if this attitude is not condemned, how can we run the House? He is challenging the Chair.*(Interruptions)*

SHRI N. JOTHI: *

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Mr. Jothi, don't go...*(Interruptions)*... This is not the way. Nothing will go on record. You cannot get up and ask like this. This is your attitude to appreciate! *(Interruptions)*

SHRI N.JOTHI: *

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: That is not...*(Interruptions)*.... No, no. Nothing will go on record.*(Interruptions)* There is nothing before the House. It is your opinion.*(Interruptions)*

DR. V. MAITREYAN (Tamil Nadu): Sir, the hon. Member has given notice thrice.

(Interruptions) He has every right to speak.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Mr. Maitreyan, please...*(Interruptions)*...

DR. V. MAITREYAN: Sir, he has every right to speak.*(Interruptions)*

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Mr. Maitreyan, this is not the forum.*(Interruptions)* When it is not there in the agenda, we cannot take it up.*(Interruptions)* What agenda! This agenda is made by you, by the House.*(Interruptions)*

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*Not recorded.

THE LEADER OF OPPOSITION (SHRI JASWANT SINGH): I think, Mr. Deputy Chairman, Sir, what you have stated from the Chair is eminently right. The Chair, after all, must govern the proceedings of the House. And, as I have often said, Sir, the essential function of the House is legislative. There is no doubt about it. And, it is a very simple, actually a very simple axion that we have to follow: The Government must have its way; the Opposition must have its say. All that is being attempted here, Sir, by the hon. Member from Orissa, and he too is a Member from Orissa. There is a certain grievance that they have been attempting to voice. This House is, after all, a Chamber for giving voice to grievances. Perhaps, he over-stated the manner of the case.

SHRI JANARDHANA POOJARY (Karnataka): No, no, as the Leader of Opposition, do you ...*(Interruptions)*..

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Mr. Poojary, let us hear him.

SHRI JASWANT SINGH: Sir, I have a function in the Office that I hold as Leader of the Opposition. It is my responsibility what the entire Opposition does and does not do. And, if in any fashion, any Member, of whichever party in the Opposition, has caused you any kind of pain, it is my function to apologise to you, Sir. You should not carry it to the extent of formal condemnation from the Chair or from the House. That was voicing a sense of grievance, Sir. It is essential that that sense of grievance is given an occasion to have its say. There are five Chief Ministers involved. Honourable Mr. Panda, is, in fact, one of the most talented Members of the House. I have always held him in very high regard. I have seldom seen him conduct himself with any impropriety. He must have a substantial point which he is attempting to voice here, Sir. I don't have to give it just now. But, it is necessary and I make an appeal to you that if he is given an opportunity, then, on behalf of the five Chief Ministers of the Union of India, those Chief Ministers' voice can be heard here. That is all.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: As far as giving the right to a Member to address ventilate his grievance is concerned, fully agree with you. Sometimes, as you are aware, certain discussions, certain notices are discussed in the Chamber. I have not said anything about Mr. Panda. I told him, "You are a responsible and a very disciplined Member of the House. You have given a notice for Calling Attention. It has to be admitted. That is under the consideration of the Chair". It has been conveyed; it is not that it has not been conveyed. My only request is, when certain matters are discussed with the Chair, when these have been conveyed, again raising them in the House is not good. I cannot prevent any Member from raising it. But, what I am saying is, when a certain matter has been sent, it is being technically examined; it has not been rejected. With regard to your other matter, there is no notice. First of all — please try to understand the position of the Secretariat or the Chair — there should be some notice. And, we can act only based on the rules. I am telling you that you have given a Calling Attention notice.

SHRI B.J. PANDA: Sir, I have a point of order. Sir, I gave a Call Attention notice two weeks ago and pursued it for two weeks. I also gave a notice with 15 Members signing for a Short Duration Discussion today for which there is time, Sir. It was not granted. My point is, many other agenda items have been listed which are far less serious than five Chief Ministers trying to meet the Prime Minister and not getting the time. ...*(Interruptions)*.. I am appealing for time, Sir.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Mr. Panda, you are correct. This is exactly what I am saying. There is a procedure. Short Duration Discussion will be listed. You know, because of the disturbance in the House and all that, no Short Duration Discussion took place. We have

done only one last week. And, we are taking up this one. Then, you can always mention this in the meeting. You were there in the morning meeting.

SHRI B.J. PANDA: But, Sir, time was available.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Where is the time? ...*(Interruptions)*.. But, are you going to get the time here? The better thing is to discuss it with the Chairman. Yes, Mr. Datta Meghe.

SPECIAL MENTIONS

Concern over surplus yield of cotton and the consequent bearing on its pricing

श्री दत्ता मेघे (महाराष्ट्र) : उपसभापति महोदय, मैं सरकार का ध्यान इस विशेष उल्लेख के द्वारा इस वर्ष कपास की भरपूर उपज होने की तरफ दिलाना चाहता हूं। एक अनुमान के अनुसार पैदावार में यह इजाफा कपास के जीन संवर्धित बीजों के इस्तेमाल के कारण हुआ है। हमारे देश के किसान अब काफी जागरूक हो चुके हैं। वे जीन संवर्धित बीजों का इस्तेमाल करने लगे हैं। कपास की पैदावार के अंतर्राष्ट्रीय परिदृश्य में भारतीय कपास पर कई देशों की निगाहें टिकी हुई हैं, क्योंकि कपास उत्पादक कई देशों में इसकी पैदावार घटने के संकेत मिले हैं। कपास का सबसे अधिक उत्पादक देश अमेरिका में कपास की पैदावार में 10 प्रतिशत की कमी होने की आशंका है। चीन में भी इसके उत्पादन में कमी की आशंका जताई गई है।

ऐसी स्थिति में मेरा सरकार से यह निवेदन है कि वर्तमान स्थिति में भारतीय कपास की विदेशों में मांग बढ़ेगी और किसानों को उनके उत्पादन का उचित मूल्य मिलने की संभावना भी है। लेकिन इस ओर विशेष ध्यान देने की जरूरत है कि कपास के भाव गिरने न पायें। इस ओर सरकार को सतत निगरानी रखनी चाहिए ताकि किसान को उसके उत्पादन का उचित मूल्य मिलता रहे । एक आशंका यह भी व्यक्त की जा रही है कि डालर के मुकाबले रुपये का मूल्य बढ़ने के कारण निर्यातकों का फायदा कम हो जायेगा। किसान को उसके उत्पादन का उचित मूल्य मिले, इस पर निगरानी रखकर सरकार को विशेष ध्यान देने की जरूरत है।

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Now, Shri B.S. Gnanadesikan—not present.

Request for removal of anomalies in admission of those students who pass in the supplementary examinations of University of Homoeopathy

सुश्री अनुसुइया उइके (मध्य प्रदेश) : उपसभापति महोदय, मैं इस विशेष उल्लेख के माध्यम से केन्द्र सरकार का ध्यान आकर्षित करना चाहती हूं कि देश में कार्यरत होम्योपैथिक चिकित्सा महाविद्यालयों में सेमेस्टर प्रणाली की परीक्षा व्यवस्था है। इस व्यवस्था में सप्लीमेंट्री परीक्षा का भी प्रावधान है। सप्लीमेंट्री आने वाले विद्यार्थियों की सप्लीमेंट्री परीक्षा भी तत्काल समय पर ली जाती है, किन्तु सप्लीमेंट्री परीक्षा में उत्तीर्ण होने वाले विद्यार्थियों को अगले सेमेस्टर में छह माह विलम्ब से प्रवेश दिया जाता है।

ऐसी स्थिति में छात्रों के कीमती छह माह का समय व्यर्थ होता है, छात्र पिछड़ जाते हैं, जिससे पालकों पर भी अतिरिक्त व्यय भार आता है। कई बार ऐसी परिस्थिति में गरीब परिवार के बच्चों को आर्थिक कठिनाइयों के कारण अपनी पढ़ाई तक छोड़नी पड़ती है। उसका भविष्य अधर में लटक जाता है। कुछ होम्योपैथिक कालेज प्रबंधन का कथन है कि उनके यहां पर ए०टी०के०टी० का नियम लागू नहीं होता है तथा उक्त व्यवस्था का निर्णय शासन का है।

अतएवं मैं उक्त परिस्थितियों में छात्र हितों को ध्यान में रखते हुए इस विशेष उल्लेख के माध्यम से केन्द्र सरकार का ध्यान आकर्षित करते हुए अनुरोध करना चाहती हूं कि यदि होम्योपैथिक कालेजों में अध्ययनरत छात्रों की सप्लीमेंट्री आती है और यदि कोई छात्र सप्लीमेंट्री परीक्षा पास कर लेता है, तो उसे अगले सेमेस्टर में तुरन्त प्रवेश दिया जाये। छह माह विलम्ब से प्रवेश के नियम को समाप्त किया जाये ताकि छात्रों का छह माह का समय बर्बाद न हो तथा पालकों को भी शिक्षा पर आने वाले अतिरिक्त व्यय भार से मुक्ति मिले।